

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Giordano, et al. Art Unit : 3692
Serial No. : 09/224,027 Examiner : Frantzy Poinvil
Filed : December 31, 1998 Conf. No. : 4204
Title : **DISPENSING SYSTEM AND METHOD WITH RADIO FREQUENCY
CUSTOMER IDENTIFICATION**

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT IN REPLY TO ACTION OF DECEMBER 13, 2007

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING BY EFS-WEB FILING

I hereby certify that this paper was filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office using the EFS -WEB system on this date: May 12, 2008